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Application of:)
Stephen Temple et al.)
Serial No: 08/536,345)
Filed: September 29, 1995)
For: MULTI-CHANNEL ARRAY)
DROPLET DEPOSITION)
APPARATUS)
Group Art Unit: 2108)
Examiner: Alrick Bobb)

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STATUS LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

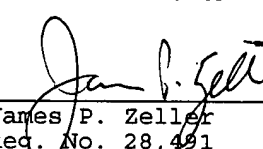
Please advise when an official action can be expected in the above-identified application. The most recent paper in our file is the "Second Preliminary Amendment and Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement" filed August 28, 1996.

Respectfully submitted,

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